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Application of: Johan Haggblad

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**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS
UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 371 IN THE UNITED STATES
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. § 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) ("Notification") mailed September 19, 2005, a copy of which is attached hereto, Applicants submit herewith a Declaration for Non-Provisional Patent Application executed by Johan Haggblad on November 28, 2005; Carolyn Horrocks on December 1, 2005; Katarina Jansson on December 9, 2005; and Harriet Ronnholm on December 6, 2005.

A copy of an assignment of the above-identified application to assignee NeuroNova AB is concurrently submitted under separate cover for recordation. A copy of the assignment is also enclosed.

Applicants also submit a Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a) for two (2) months to extend the period of replying to the Notification from November 19, 2005 up to and including January 19, 2006.

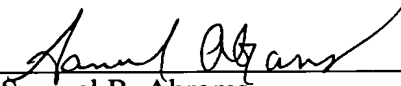
Also submitted herewith is a Power of Attorney by Assignee and Exclusion of Inventors executed by Ulf Ljungberg on December 21, 2005, on behalf of NeuroNova AB, assignee of the above-identified application.

It is requested that the enclosed documents be made of record in the file of the above-identified application.

Please charge any fee required with the present submission to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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